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1. [redacted] Talked with Mr. Sherlock, in the office of the Secretary of Defense, regarding the four Industrial Security proposals now pending in the Senate Judiciary Internal Security Subcommittee - S. 2416, S.2314, H.R. 8121 and S.2592. Mr. Sherlock said that Defense is not taking action on any of these bills in view of the President's action in signing the Executive Order on this subject. The policy people are devoting all of their time to working out their procedures for compliance with this order. Mr. Sherlock feels certain that before any action is taken by the Senate committee the Armed Services will be asked to testify on these measures.

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2. [redacted] Advised Don Appell of HCUA that his conclusions concerning the International Women's Assembly which will meet in Copenhagen this month were accurate. (Appell had called us on 23 March concerning this organization which he regarded as communist inspired.) Appell was advised that we would attempt to provide him with information on the background of this organization and the personalities connected with it.

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3. [redacted] Talked with [redacted] of IO Division concerning an intelligence report prepared by the State Department on the Vienna Youth Festival. Liaison Division of OCR has received a request from the State Department for Agency permission for the Department to release this document to Mr. Murray Drabkin on the staff of Representative Francis E. Walter (D., Pa.). [redacted] gave his approval to such a release.

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4. [redacted] Ted Shackley, Chief, EE/C, called to say that the IDC members have approved [redacted] appearance before the HCUA on the limited basis which has been proposed. Shackley also indicated that the script which he is preparing for this session will not be ready until the middle of next week. He is aiming for an appearance by [redacted] around the 13th or 15th of April.

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